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<b>In re application of: David ELDER, et al.</b>  <b>Appln No.: 10/708,739</b>  <b>Filed: March 22, 2004</b>     <b>For: MULTIPLE BATTERY SYSTEM</b>  <b>(as amended)</b>	<b>TC/AU: 2838</b>  <b>Examiner: Muralidar, Richard</b>  <b>Atty. Docket No.: RP-002</b>
	<b>PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</b>
	<b>Customer No:</b>  <b>34253</b>  <b>PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE</b>

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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2007 and further to the telephone interview of January 17, 2008, please accept this terminal disclaimer and amendment. A terminal disclaimer fee of \$65.00 is due, please charge Deposit Account Number 503461 accordingly. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 9.